

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

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Appl. No.: 10/520,033

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For: **Transcription Factor Gene Induced  
by Water Deficit Conditions And  
Absciscic Acid From Helianthus  
Annuus, Promoter and Transgenic  
Plants**

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**Supplemental Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

***Mail Stop Amendment***

Commissioner for Patents  
PO Box 1450  
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Sir:

In reply to the **Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications  
Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures** dated  
December 23, 2008, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.

Remarks and Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are  
required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying  
this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent  
abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned  
under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net  
addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No.  
19-0036.